

February 1, 2023,

Dear Interested Parties,

EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (EOI) #HMIS-2023-01-31 FOR Small Unmanned Aircraft System (sUAS)/Drone Services for the United States Department of Energy at the Hanford Site in Richland, Washington

Hanford Mission Integrated Solutions (HMIS) as a prime contractor to the U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) is issuing this Request for Expression of Interest (EOI) as a means of conducting market research to identify interest in and the resources available to provide sUAS contractor operated flight services on the Unites States Department of Energy, Hanford Site.

HMIS requires FAA Part 107 certificated operators to provide sUAS services including, but not limited to, critical incident response, 3D mapping, infrastructure inspections, search and rescue, wildlife management, thermal imaging, transmission line assessments, confined spaces, and land management activities. Customer flight requests may range from 1-10 flights per month. In addition to FAA required training, Hanford specific training for personnel working on site will be required.

Potential bidders will be responsible for all inputs necessary to provide the flight services contracted, at the level contracted, including, but not limited to: staffing, employee training, logistical equipment, maintenance, and procurement of required sUAS platforms and other associated equipment. sUAS platforms utilized on the Hanford site must be on the DIU Blue UAS, "Cleared List" of drones; <u>Blue UAS Cleared Drone List (diu.mil)</u>.

HMIS inputs into the service provided will be limited to contract administration, mission planning, customer requests, preflight and postflight briefings, QA/QC of contractor processes and independent performance assessment of contractor flight service delivery.

Interested parties are invited to submit an EOI, which is no longer than (5) total pages in length that addresses the following information and includes the proposed solutions to achieve the following goals:

Requested Information:

- 1. Provide a brief description of the company, capabilities, personnel, and sUAS service experience.
- 2. Provide written confirmation that your company is registered in the System for Award Management (www.sam.gov). Please also list your company's socio-economic size standard based on NAICS Code 541370 \$16Million.

Please send all EOI responses to Contract Specialist, Angie Rowland at Angela_M_Rowland@rl.gov no later than April 1, 2023 at 4:30 pm.